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30.	Sikkim	800,924,612.00	70,809,135.00	80,092,461.20
31.	Tamil Nadu	197,130,414.00	18,630,439.16	19,713,041.40
32.	Tripura	354,181,754.00	55,422,101.00	35,418,175.40
33.	Uttar Pradesh	4,709,629,585.46	845,027,056.40	470,962,958.55
34.	Uttarakhand	8,165,322,154.65	1,114,442,810.00	816,532,215,47
35.	West Bengal	529,577,838.00	56,964,899.00	52,957,783.80
	GRAND TOTAL:	99,321,298,695.15	13,282,365,896.19	9,932,129,869.52

Protection of rare animals

3215. SHRI BHAGIRATHI MAJHI: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is taking any action to protect the rare wild animals in the National Reserve Forests which are being killed both by the naxal and hunters in Orissa, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh, where workers of those areas are afraid to go out for their duties;

(b) if so, the details of action being taken by the Ministry so as to eliminate these problems with immediate effect; and

(c) whether Government has done any survey, so far, about how many such animals are killed by the naxals and hunters in those States, separately?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) and (b) The Ministry under the Centrally Sponsored Schemes *viz.,* 'Integrated Development of Wildlife Habitats', 'Project Elephant', 'Project Tiger' and 'Integrated Forest Protection', provides financial and technical assistance to State/UT Governments including Orissa, Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh for various activities aimed at the protection and conservation of forests and wildlife, which *Inter alia* include anti poaching activities and strengthening infrastructure in naxal affected and poaching prone areas. Recently, the incident of naxal attack in Similipal Tiger Reserve in Orissa was also reviewed in the Ministry. In addition, protection forces consisting of local youths and ex-military personnel have also been established for protection of wildlife in the Tiger Reserves and regular patrolling has been intensified in forest/Protected Areas to prevent poaching of wild animals.

(c) No exclusive survey has been done on the animals killed by naxals and hunters in Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand and Orissa. As per the information received from the State Governments, no killing of wild animals by naxals has been reported. However, four elephants have been killed during last sixteen months in Jharkhand, while five elephants, five leopards, one pangolin and two blackbucks were killed by hunters in Orissa during 2008-09.